



PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3763**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Marian A. DEVONEC

Group Art Unit: 3763

Application No.: 09/826,207

Examiner: C. Rodriguez

Filed: April 5, 2001

Docket No.: 039179.01

For: THERAPEUTIC DEVICE FOR THE SELECTIVE CYTOREDUCTION TREATMENT
OF AN OBSTRUCTION IN A NATURAL LUMEN OR PASSAGE OF THE HUMAN
OR ANIMAL BODY

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the February 23, 2004 Office Action, a Notice of Appeal having been filed
on August 23, 2004, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.